

UNCLE SAM

Stands at Your Door TODAY

---and says---

"The occupants of this home depend upon me to protect and defend them against the ravages of a cruel war. This I am going to do, or perish in the attempt.

"Just a few years ago, there stood across the waters many peaceful, happy homes like this, which are today hopeless ruins and the country side around them saturated with the blood of millions of their occupants.

"To-day the United States is directly in the path of this conflagration. The Navy has already entered the zone of death. My boys have placed the Stars and Stripes above the trenches and millions more have been summoned to the colors. These I will have to feed and clothe and furnish with the weapons and ammunition to defend you and you must assist me in doing it.

"It is not a great favor that I ask---my wealth exceeds \$250,000,000,000, but I need a little more money---\$5,000,000,000. I do not ask that you give it to me, I want to borrow it and as an evidence of the indebtedness I will give you my gold bond, tax free, and in addition pay interest at the rate of 3 1-2 per cent. The security I offer is recognized as the best in all the world. My promise to pay has never been broken.

"In view of these facts, will the occupant of this house refuse me the loan of at least \$50?"

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UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

President and Others To Retire and Grounds for Adverse Criticism.

Following are outstanding features of the recent probe of the University of Kentucky, completed and given out for publication the latter part of last week:

President H. S. Barker to retire in 1918.

Dean W. E. Rowe to retire immediately.

Dean F. Paul Anderson and Prof. L. K. Frankel criticised.

Dr. J. K. Patterson, president emeritus, criticised, but suggested action not adopted.

Director of Extension caution, and one of his subordinates criticised.

Professor accused of scoffing at religion acquitted.

Consolidation of engineering colleges deferred.

Drinking and gambling charges declared false.

Morals of students declared better than ever.

Charges of fraud in Trustees' election not sustained.

Repeal of scholarship law to be sought. If successful, dormitories to be razed.

Smaller board of Trustees recommended.

Relatives to be barred from appointment.

Charges of "politics" true within limitations.

Creation of committee on extension to be asked of Legislature.

Trustees to resign when legislation asked for is enacted.

College of Home Economics to become a department.

Auditorium to be the next building erected.

Parental supervision of students advocated.

Held As Conspirators.

Philadelphia, June 11.—The federal grand jury here has indicted Max V. Therichens, former captain of the seized German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich Adelbert K. Fischer, Mrs. Helen Fischer, his wife, and Henry K. Rohner of this city, on charges of conspiracy and smuggling.

Men and the Nation.

A nation is a thing that lives and acts like a man, and men are the particles of which it is composed.—J. D. Holland

THE FLAG.

BY ARTHUR MACY.

Here comes the flag.

Hail it!

Who dares to drag

Or trail it?

Give it hurrahs—

Three for the stars,

Three for the bars.

Uncover your head to it!

The soldiers who tread it

Shout at the sight of it,

The justice and right of it,

The unsullied white of it,

The blue and red of it

And tyranny's dread of it!

Here comes the flag!

Cheer it!

Valley and crag

Shall hear it.

Fathers shall bless it,

Children caress it

And shall maintain it.

No one shall stain it.

Cheers for the sailors that fought on

the wave for it.

Cheers for the soldiers that always

were brave for it.

Tears for the men that went down to

the grave for it.

Here comes the flag!

—Youth's Companion.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

The sudden going home of Mrs. Camilla T. Wall caused a shock in the community and brought genuine grief to many homes and hearts. Her untiring zeal for the Master's work was manifested by her teaching in the Bible school and filling her place in the sanctuary the last Sabbath she spent on earth. Therefore, in her death be it—

Resolved, 1 That this society has lost a zealous, efficient and highly esteemed member.

2. That her devotion to the cause of world-wide missions is worthy of constant emulation.

3. That her faithful and persistent efforts to enlist the sympathy and active co-operation of others in the evangelization of the world merits the highest commendation.

4. That each of the members of this society recognize in her home going God's call to a higher, better and more efficient service.

5. That these resolutions be spread upon our minutes, a copy sent to the bereaved family and that they also be published in the New Era and the Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

Mrs. C. M. Thompson.

Mrs. Gus Breathitt.

Mrs. Sarah Miller.

The body of Ben Nasbitt, drowned at West Franklin, Ind., in March, was found Tuesday in the Ohio.

HUGH SEARGENT FOR ASSESSOR

Subject to the Action of the Republican Primary.

We are authorized to announce HUGH SEARGENT, of Beverly, as a candidate for Assessor of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

MARRIAGES.

Curtis-Robinson

One of the biggest surprises of the year was the announcement of the wedding of Mr. Edward Curtis and Miss Karlene Robinson. The wedding took place some time past. At the class day exercises of the High School it was thought quite a joke when in the class prophesy Miss Robinson was referred to as Mrs. Curtis. But the joke was on the class, for at the time she was in reality Mrs. Curtis. Mr. Curtis is one of the best known and most enterprising young men in the city. Mrs. Curtis was a member of this year's graduating class at the local High school and is one of the city's most attractive young ladies. The happy couple will make their home with the groom's parents on east 19th street.

Phelps-Brown.

The many friends of Mrs. Zenobia Brown, were surprised last Saturday when her marriage to Mr. E. B. Phelps, of Eminence, Kansas, was made known. It was known by her closest friends that the deepest attachment existed between the two, but the wedding came as a pleasant surprise. Mrs. Brown, who for the past several years has been cashier in the office of the Campbell Insurance Agency, is one of the best known business women in the city. The groom is a prosperous rancher of near Eminence, Kansas.

Winfree-Robinson.

Cards have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Miss Essa Mae Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Robinson, of San Francisco, Cal., to Mr. Forest Fallon Winfree. Mr. Winfree is a brother of Mr. Charles Winfree, of this city, and has a host of friends here. The wedding took place Sunday, June 8.

OPPOSED TO ANNEXATION

Britain's Aims Laid Down In Official Paper.

London, June 13.—In reply to the Russian government's request for a statement of the British war aims, Great Britain has forwarded to Petrograd a note in which it expressed hearty acceptance and approval of the principles which President Wilson laid down in his historic message to Congress. The British government believes, broadly speaking, that the agreements made from time to time with Britain's allies are conformable to these standards.

The purpose of Great Britain at the outset, says the note, was to defend the existence of the country and enforce respect for international agreements. Since then there has been added that "of liberating populations oppressed by alien tyranny." The note bespeaks only the liberation of Poland by Russia, but of that section of Poland within the domination of the Germanic empires.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Miss Bertha Turner has returned from Lakeland, Fla., where she has been teaching.

Miss Marion Lander is visiting Prof. C. H. Dietrich's family, in Lexington.

Idell Crute has returned from Palm Beach, Fla.

Miss Louise Baynham, of Edgote, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Geo. D. Hill, of Cleveland, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Malcolm M. Shipp.

Robert Cooper and James Higgins are home from Lexington on a few days' leave of absence.

Vego Barnes, one of the Hopkinsville young men, has returned from the training camp at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, having failed to pass the final physical examination.

Miss Frances Campbell has returned from teaching in Virginia and is with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Campbell.

If you are a patriotic citizen and able to do so—and few are not able—subscribe for one or more Liberty bonds and then telephone your neighbor, urging him to do. To-day is flag day. Let flags be unfurled and let every bell on churches, schoolhouses and courthouses be rung hourly—a peal of Liberty to awaken every citizen this day to his full sense of duty.

BELIEVE REGISTRATION WILL EXCEED ESTIMATE

More Than 7,700,000 Enrolled, With Eleven States Yet to Report.

Washington, June 13.—War registration returns in tonight from thirty-seven States indicated that when all States have reported the total enrolled will exceed census estimates of eligibles, deducting the 60,000 men now in military and naval service not required to register.

The Provost Marshal General's office estimated that total registration in the United States will be nearly 9,500,000, slightly more than 90 per cent of the census estimate of 10,298,000 eligibles between the ages of 21 and 30 inclusive. Deductions indicated by the War Department, however, would reduce this census estimate about 12 per cent, or to a little more than 9,000,000.

With eleven more States to report, War Department records showed tonight that 7,773,467 for the States reported. Of those registered 5,468,073 were white, 847,852 were colored, 807,868 were aliens and 94,311 were alien enemies. Indicated possible exemptions were 4,111,453.

Some of the States not yet reported will show excesses over their census estimates, according to incomplete tabulations and will help to raise the aggregate percentage.

Michigan today jumped into first place among the States in proportion of estimated eligibles actually registered, with 113.6 per cent.

Music Recital.

Tuesday night at the Christian church the music pupils of Miss Elizabeth Nourse gave their recital to one of the largest crowds that ever attended a music recital in this city. The Sunday school auditorium was filled to capacity.

The numbers were rendered in faultless style and highly appreciated by the audience. The pupils received many gifts from their friends and admirers and the floral offering rivaled that of the High School graduation.

Flag Exercises.

Flag exercises will be held at Elks home Thursday, June 14th. Jas. Breathitt, Jr., will deliver tribute to the Flag. Hopkinsville Lodge was one of the first to have a Flag raising when the military flag was unfurled a few weeks ago. The exercises will be held at the Elks home at 5 p. m. The public is invited to attend.

INJUNCTION SUIT FILED

To Stop the Improvement Of The Gracey Route To Cadiz.

James Breathitt, Jr., went to Cadiz Monday and filed a suit in the name of C. R. Wadlington and others, praying for an injunction to prevent the Gracey road now being improved and designated as the official inter-county seat road between Cadiz and Hopkinsville.

There has been much controversy between the people along the Gracey and the Caledonia roads. Mr. Breathitt will probably file suit in this county seeking to have the Caledonia road designated as the official route in this county. It has been planned to improve both roads in Christian county.

DR. BEAZLEY

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